PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the United Nations' vigor and effectiveness have increased over the years; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations has become the principal forum for open discussion of world affairs; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations is now an effective instrument against hunger, illiteracy, disease, and despair; and

WHIREAS, the United Nations is a main avenue for cooperation in the praceful uses of outer space; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations' pracekeeping potential provides a key to world disarmament; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations' activities have been beneficial to the national interests of the United States; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations' authority depends on the moral and financial support of the world's nations and people; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the United Nations has resolved that October twenty-fourth, the anniversary of the coming into force of the United Nations Charter, should be dedicated each year to making known the purposes, principles, and accomplishments of the United Nations:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota do hereby proclaim Wednesday, October 24, 1962, as

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and urge the citizens of this state to promote community programs which will demonstrate their faith in the United Nations and contribute to a better understanding of its aims, problems, and accomplishments.

> IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of South Dakota to be affixed this 21st day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

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